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HARMONY SPEECHES BY LEADERS OF THE PARTY.

Meat of Talks Which Were Features of State Convention In Session at Lexington.

Four notable speeches were made at the State Convention on Thursday. They were made by Congressman Ollie M. James, the dominant figure in the convention, A. O. Stanley, who was temporary chairman of the convention, Gov. J. C. W. Beckham, who withdrew from the race for temporary chairman, and Col. John R. Allen, of Lexington. The following are extracts from the speeches made by these four men, being the real meat and essence of what was said by each of them:

Congressman Stanley.

Ladies and Gentlemen: I have never heard, nor do I expect to hear, this side of that land where there is the heavenly glories or the harmonious happening symphonies in which there is so much melody and so little discord, as the triumphant shouts of this convention. Pregnant with terror to our foes as the Rebel yell and with tenderness to our brothers as the old mother's lullaby.

They talk to us of harmony and of the healing of wounds—I tell you we have no time to talk about the healing of wounds—a soldier in the presence of the enemy forgets he ever saw a wound.

We have harmony; it is not the peace of sloth or of flock of sheep, the tranquility of a band of dauntless soldiers sleeping upon their arms, and waiting, for love of their comrades, in eagerness for their foes (Applause.) We are camping now upon the plains of victory. We are waiting for the ideo of November when the echoes of the meeting that are in your voices shall be drowned with the shout of another better victory, which will bring joy to every Democrat and terror and chagrin and defeat to every Republican within the State and nation.

No, thank God. I am here to say to every Democrat in this great hall, that if you have been so weak or unwise or mistaken as to wander, like the prodigal son, from the Democratic hearthstone and the Democratic home out yonder to the hogs and hucks of Republicanism, I am here to tell you that you need not eat of the hucks any more. I am here to tell you that, as one and all, you can lift up your faces and look back to the old home. No

man can have been a Democrat and have fallen entirely from grace. I am going back home. * * *

What a triumph it will be. We will save the State and we will triumph with the nation. We never had such issues; we never had such unions, and we never had such a leader. God is with us; our friends are shoulder to shoulder—our enemies are confused, and this hour is a red letter day in the history of Democracy. If we continue in this spirit, as you will, and in the days gone by, we will recount the time when Kentucky took her last stand for everlasting success in the convention held in Lexington on this the 11th day of June.

Gov. Beckham.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen: It is, indeed, a great pleasure to me to again face an audience of Kentucky Democrats. It is a greater pleasure to see such a magnificent gathering of representative Democrats of this State, and to see such unbounded enthusiasm among them. It speaks well for the future I join in with the utterances of other distinguished gentlemen who have spoken from this platform urging upon the Democrats of Kentucky that it is upon this occasion, in the great fight of this year, if you have not seen it in the past, you will at least be harmonious and united for the great battle of 1908. (Applause.)

My friends, an injustice has been done me if anybody has been led to believe that I sought for myself any favor at the hands of this convention. Believing, as some of my friends did, that my candidacy for temporary chairman might be of some service to the interest of the Democratic party, not as a reflection upon the distinguished gentleman who occupies the place; believing that they might want to beat some element which was seeking the control of the Democratic party in this State, they asked me to let my name be used as a candidate for that position, and as soon as I came here and found out that delegates believed that these honors should be distributed, I cheerfully and quickly withdrew from any such contest. (Applause.) I am not one of those Democrats who need any office or any honor in the gift of the party to make me

support my party nominee. Applause.)

The morning papers or at least some of them, announced that Beckham and his friends had been beaten. My friends, that may be true, but never could I be beaten so hard as to be driven out of the Democratic party. I would not imitate the example of others in the time of defeat within the ranks of the Democratic party, by sulking or bolting the nominee of that party. (Applause.)

A Democratic convention, composed of the best blood, the best brains of Kentucky citizenship, can never beat me or beat my friends. When the election time comes, I will not walk up to the polls with a business and with zeal and receive votes in favor of the party nominees.

Let your deliberations, therefore, be wise and conservative; let no man say anything or do anything to break the harmony that seems to exist upon this occasion. Let us all join hands together, no matter what may have been our differences in the past so that Kentucky, by every tradition, by reason of its citizenship, its manhood and its womanhood, a Democratic State, shall be restored to the Democratic column in next November.

Col. John R. Allen.

"There are nearly 100,000 independent voters in this Commonwealth. We need that independent vote. Many of the independent vote have been lifelong Democrats. How shall we get them back once more under our banners? Let me appeal to the thoughtful men of good conscience, the men of honesty. We can do it but one way, fellow Democrats, by lifting party politics to a higher plane. (Applause.) By making our methods clean, by divorcing the party from fraud and corruption, by standing for honest elections and by standing for the right of every free man to cast his vote untrammelled and to have that ballot counted as cast. I know that politics is no ladies' game of lawn tennis. I know that rough methods sometimes have to be resorted to. I know that the fight with the enemy is rude visaged war, and not capering nimbly in my lady's chamber to the lascivious pleading of a lute. I know that party politicians are scornful of morals in politics, but there are certain fundamental ideas of right and wrong which no party can afford to get away from if it would gain and hold the esteem and confidence of the people."

Congressman James.

"Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Fellow Democrats—I greet my Democratic brethren in Kentucky with the assurance that the Kentucky Democracy is united, and that victory will be written upon our banner. (Applause.)

"I came to bid every man who ever was a Democrat, who ever loved one of the principles of its faith, to come back into the wigwam of his party, and I am willing to put my arm around him and welcome him and wrestle with our erring brother, even as Jacob did with the angel. (Applause.)

"Victory beckons to the Democracy from every quarter of the Republic. Kentucky is now experiencing some of the promised blessings of Republicanism, an empty treasury, warrants at a discount, and a Republican Governor inveighing strongly against midnight marauders, and at the same time searching through the musty tomes of a great judicial record for technicality upon which to hang a pardon for a daylight assassin.

"Aye, fellow Democrats, Kentucky is a Democratic State. We are united and under the starry banner of our faith the triumph of the Democracy is today certain; and we are going to gather around that man who is the grandest combination of manhood and Democracy that the world ever saw; whose patriotism is as strong as the tides of the sea, William J. Bryan, of Nebraska.

FIGHTS SETTLED.

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say that he made a great mistake in entering the race against Mr. Stanley at the eleventh hour and in making a fight on a man who has always stood loyally for the party nominees and who has even made a great many speeches for Mr. Beckham.

Many of the delegates feel that Mr. Beckham made a mistake, especially as the majority of the delegates were for harmony. They can not see that the harmony programme is to be carried out with Mr. Beckham making a fight on Mr. Stanley.

Many of the delegates also who were instructed for Mr. Beckham for delegate to the National Convention from the State-at-large say that he wanted too much when he asked that he be elected chairman of the convention in addition to being chosen as delegate, and there was talk that some of the counties would vote against him as delegate if he stayed in the race for temporary chairman. Washington county delegates said that if Mr. Beckham stayed in the race for chairman that they would not only vote against him but would also vote against him for delegate.

The Franklin county delegation was

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Miss Margaretta Gaines	545
Miss Lillian Hinnau	467
Miss Della Bonnell	198
Miss Rose Sutterlin	160
City School	154
Miss Edwina Marshall	147
B. P. O. Elks	120
Miss Henrietta Eales	112
Miss Ella Wash	96

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DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

"We, the representatives of the Democracy of Kentucky, in convention assembled at Lexington, June 11, 1908, reaffirm our allegiance and devotion to the principles of the Democratic party as represented by Jefferson, and advocated by a long line of illustrious leaders, and set forth in the National Democratic Platform in 1904.

"We endorse and point with satisfaction to the wise, honest and economical conduct of the State government by the Democratic administration of Gov. J. C. W. Beckham and his associates in office.

"We disapprove and condemn the weak, vacillating, hypocritical and arbitrary conduct of our State affairs by the present Republican administration.

"We instruct the delegates elected by this convention to cast the vote of Kentucky as a unit upon all questions and matters coming before the National Democratic Convention to be held at Denver, Cal., July 7, 1908, and they are hereby further instructed to vote for William J. Bryan as the nominee for President, by said convention and continue to vote for him until he shall be nominated."